I. **Notifications of the Ministry of Agriculture and the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution**

II. **Annual Reports and Accounts** (2008-09) **of various Corporations, Boards, Institutes, University** (2007-08) **and Council and Related papers**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS): Sir, I lay on the Table:-

I. (i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Agriculture (Department of Agriculture and Cooperation), under sub-section (3) of Section 3 of the Agriculture Produce (Grading and Marking) Rules, 1937:-

(1) G.S.R. 796 (E), dated the 5th November, 2009, publishing the General Grading and Marking (Amendment) Rules, 2009. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1090/15/09]

(2) G.S.R. 841 (E), dated the 25th November, 2009, publishing the Puwad Seeds Grading and Marking Rules, 2009.

(3) G.S.R. 842 (E), dated the 25th November, 2009, publishing the Karanj Seeds Grading and Marking Rules, 2009. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1338/15/09]

(ii) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Consumer Affairs), under sub-section (4) of Section 83 of the Standards of Weight and Measures Act, 1976:-

(1) G.S.R. 533 (E), dated the 17th July, 2009, publishing the Standards of Weight and Measures (Packaged Commodities) Amendment Rules, 2009.

(2) G.S.R. 632 (E), dated the 2nd September, 2009, publishing the Standards of Weights and Measures (Packaged Commodities) Second Amendment Rules, 2009. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1087/15/09]

(iii) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Agriculture (Department of Agriculture and Cooperation) Notification No. S.O. 1874 (E), dated the 3rd August, 2009, regarding inclusion of sugarcane, ginger and turmeric crops with their genera eligible for registration of varieties under the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act, 2001, under Section 97 of the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act, 2001. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1089/15/09]

(iv) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Agriculture (Department of Animal Husbandry Dairying and Fisheries) Notification No. DELNDDB-02/09, dated the 23rd September, 2009, publishing the National Dairy Development Board

(Administration of Fund, Accounts and Budget) (Amendment) Regulations, 2009, under Section 50 of the National Dairy Development Board Act, 1987. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1344/15/09]

(v) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Food and Public Distribution) Notification No. S.O. 2878 (E), dated the 11th November, 2009, publishing the Rice (Stock Declaration by Companies or Firms or Individuals) Order, 2009, under sub-section (6) of Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act 1955. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1093/15/09]

II. (i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (3) of Section 14 and sub-section (4) of Section 17 of the National Cooperative Development Corporation Act, 1962:-

(a) Annual Report of the National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC), New Delhi, for the year 2008-09.

(b) Annual Accounts of the National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC), New Delhi, for the year 2008-09, and the Audit Report thereon. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 884/15/09]

(c) Annual Accounts (Employees Provident Fund) of the National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC), New Delhi, for the year 2008-09, and the Audit Report thereon.

(d) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 884A/15/09]

(ii) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of Section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:

(1) (a) Fortieth Annual Report and Accounts of the State Farms Corporation of India Limited (SFCI), New Delhi, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1335/15/09]

(2) (a) Forty-sixth Annual Report and Accounts of the National Seeds Corporation Limited (NSC) New Delhi, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1336/15/09]

(iii) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under Section 29 of the National Dairy Development Board Act 1987:

(a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Dairy Development Board, Anand, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Board. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1334/15/09]

(iv) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:-

(1) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Limited (NAFED), New Delhi, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Federation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1333/15/09]

(2) (a) Annual Report of the National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad, for the year 2008-09.

(b) Annual Accounts of the National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad, for the year 2008-09, and the Audit Report thereon.

(c) Review by Government on the working of the above Institute. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1091/15/09]

(3) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Horticulture Board, Gurgaon, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Board. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1086/15/09]

(4) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Law School of India University (NLSUI), Bangalore, for the years 2007-08 and 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above University. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1085/15/09]

(5) (a) Forty-second Annual Report and Accounts of the Council for Fair Business Practices (CFBP), Mumbai, for the year 2008-09, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Council. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1083/15/09]

(6) Statement giving reasons for not laying the Annual Report and Audited Accounts of the Jammu and Kashmir Horticultural Produce Marketing and Processing Corporation Limited (J&K HPMC), for the years 1993-94, 1994-95, 1995-96, 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-00, 2000-01, 2001-02, 2002-03, 2003-04, 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09 within the stipulated period. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 1088/15/09]

RECOMMENDATIONS OF BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I have to inform the Members that the Business Advisory Committee in its meeting held on the 10th December, 2009, has allotted time for the Government Business as follows:

Business		Time Allotted
Consideration and passing of the following Bills, after they are passed by Lok Sabha:-		
(a)	The National Green Tribunal Bill, 2009	4 hours
(b)	The State Bank of Saurashtra (Repeal) and the State Bank of India (Subsidiary Banks) Amendment Bill, 2009	1 hour
(c)	The Payment of Gratuity (Amendment) Bill, 2009	2 hours

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

Status of implementation of Seventy-third and Seventy-ninth reports of Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Finance

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM): Sir, I make a statement regarding status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Seventy-third and Seventy-ninth Reports of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Finance.

Status of implementation of Forty-seventh reports of Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture on impact of Global Climate Change on Agriculture and Allied Sectors in India

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS): Sir, I make a statement regarding status of implementation of recommendations as contained in the Forty-seventh Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture on the "Impact of Global Climate Change on Agriculture and Allied Sectors in India".